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SUBJECT: SHIP PIRACY IN LAGOS HARBOR

1. FARRELL LINES V.P. RICHARD FORD TOLD DEPTOFFS HE
RECEIVED REPORT COMPANY SHIP, SS AFRICAN DAWN, BOARDED
BY FIVE ARMED PIRATES WHILE AWAITING BERTHING SPACE IN
LAGOS HARBOR OCTOBER 17. ACCORDING TO FIRST REPORTS
NO PHYSICAL ASSAULTS PERPETRATED. IT IS BELIEVED THERE
WERE NO MATERIAL LOSSES FROM SHIP'S CARGO OR STORE.

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2. EMBASSY REQUESTED INVESTIGATE THIS REPORT AND IF TRUE
TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION IN EXPRESSING CONCERN TO FMG
OFFICIALS. PLEASE REPORT OUTCOME OF YOUR ACTIONS TO
DEPARTMENT SOONEST SO THAT WE MAY SO INFORM FARRELL
LINES. VANCE

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